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TULE LAKE COLONY

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WEEK LONG SHOW OF TULE LIFE

Photographs of the Project taken during Labor Day week by Francis Stewart, WRA photographer, will be on exhibit in The Tulean Dispatch Annex, #1608, beginning today.

These pictures show many phases of Project life, including the Labor Day parade, open house exhibits, farm scenes, packing shed, etc.

Colonists may order any of the pictures on exhibit. They will only be required to pay the nominal cost of printing. Orders may be placed with Miss Hilo Hasegawa, documentarian.

This exhibition of pictures will continue throughout the week.

CITY LIBRARY CLOSED FOR SHEETROCKING

City library, #1708, will be closed until further notice due to the sheetrocking of the building, it was announced by the Community Activities.

AN EDITORIAL

A YEAR AGO TODAY

A year ago today Pearl Harbor was attacked. Since that time, this country has undergone a mental, moral, spiritual and physical transformation beyond anything the world has ever known.

Although America was not in the war, her sympathies were definitely committed to the Allied Nations. Billions of dollars have been spent in their behalf for those countries fighting aggression.

Since December 7th, this country has geared itself to total war -- mentally, morally and physically. Five million men are now under arms, more than a million of whom are on foreign soil.

And how does this affect the nisei?

Nisei are affected just as much as any other American. Proof of this is in the number of young Japanese Americans who have enlisted in the Army

--some five thousand.

Only last week, 34 young colonists volunteered for the intelligence school at Camp Savage. Before that, and with only limited ways of showing their willingness to cooperate, they bought defense bonds, went to the beet fields. Young Japanese Americans are, and have been demanding a right to bear arms for their country.

If this is total war then it is total war for every American.

We are asking the same right as other Americans -- total participation in total war. This should give us our rightful place when peace is won.

CITY PREMIER TONITE

Theater goes in Ward I will have the first opportunity to see the three one-act plays to be presented by the Little Theater tonight from 8 p.m. at #408.

WHITE CHRISTMAS IN THE MAKING:

40,000 LITTLE AMERICANS TO BE
GIVEN HOLIDAY GIFTS BY VARIOUS
ORGANIZATIONS, NISEI SOLDIERS

Santa Claus will see to it that none of the evacuated tots will be left out of his plans for a white Christmas, it was revealed in the Pacific Citizen.

More than 40,000 little Japanese Americans in the 10 relocation projects will be cared for by the various Christian denominations, service groups, JAFL, and other organizations interested in the welfare of the Japanese evacuees.

The presents are being supplemented by a Community Christmas Party Fund to insure complete cover-

age. Seventy-four American soldiers, mostly nisei, but including six Caucasian and one Chinese American, stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, have contributed a dollar apiece or \$74 in all to swell the Christmas fund. Japanese living in the free zone have not forgotten those in the projects either, for they too are making contributions to the fund.

Of the quota of an estimated 47,600 children, 46,075 have been accommodated. Projects whose quotas have not been met as yet are Colorado River

(Poston), Central Utah (Topaz), and Jerome.

Tule Lake's quota of 6,400 has been met by the following organizations; Disciples; Evangelical Reformed; Methodist; and Advisory Committee for Evacuees. Presbyterian, U.S.A., has agreed to be responsible for all of the Heart Mountain's quota of 4,000.

Joe Kanazawa, eastern JAFL representative, at P.O. Box 1721, Washington, D.C., is assisting in correlating this Christmas program of sending gifts to children of the different projects.

A THOUGHT IN REVIEW

LITTLE THEATER GROUP

It amazed me pleasantly to discover the genuine histrionic talent inherent in some of our young colonists in Tule Lake.

Reviewing the presentations of three one-act plays by the Little Theater Group Friday night in 7408, it came to me that there is a great possibility of developing this sort of group here to entertain the mentally matured residents who are forever seeking escape from the grim reality of Arab colony life.

Drama always acts as a cathartic of emotions. It makes people weep and laugh. If any play stirs a person's feeling, it has accomplished the first essence of its raison d'être and fine art. The Little Theater players did this to the audience Friday night. And I believe they will continue to do so during the coming two-week performances with greater intensity.

Especially noteworthy was the performance of Grace Yamadera as Mrs. Anne Keeney in Eugene O'Neill's tragedy, "Ile." Miss Yamadera, we learned, has never been on the stage before. But her dramatic quality of self-expression portrayed the role she was assigned with understanding and appreciation. In a way she surpassed the fine acting of Perry Saito as Captain Dave Keeney.

George Kelly's comedy, "The Flattering Word," brought the house down with laughter. But the final five minutes were anti-climax. The curtain should have been drawn while the punch was still alive. Five Stars for Dickie Moriyasu for her smooth and professional acting: Four Stars for Hiroshi Kashiwagi. Mr. Kashiwagi, I believe, is destined to shine brilliantly later.

"Maker of Dreams," a fantasy by Oliphant Down, was in need of a larger stage and a better light-

ing system to inject color to the play that it deserves. But, then, we would be expecting too much from the present camp facilities. If we had one, we would have seen more ballet dancing from Yukio Shimoda, the talented terpsichorian.

Congratulations to Mrs. Sada Murayama for her excellent job as director: and also to Garrett Starmer and Miss Jeanette Smoyer, high school faculty members, for their finishing touch.

The Little Theater Group deserves our whole-hearted support. H.M.I.

BLANKET OF SNOW
COVERS TULE LAKE

Consistent winter weather seems to have come as a blanket of white followed a week of near zero weather.

The heaviest snowfall yet started last Saturday noon and piled up over an inch before mid-afternoon.

VITAL STATISTICS

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Tokio Hirotsuka, 5612-E, a boy on Dec. 3, 11:47 a.m.

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Kichisabaro Yukinori, 6915-A, a boy on Dec. 3, 10:18 p.m.

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Taneshige Norioka, 4411-D, a girl on Dec. 4, 10:00 a.m.

CO-OP MEMBERSHIP
CAMPAIGN ON TODAY

With Koso Takemoto, new executive secretary, in charge of the membership drive, the Co-op announced last Saturday that the fee has been set at \$1 per member.

This fee entitles an individual to a membership certificate which grants the holder all rights and privileges provided in the by-laws. The signatures of two officers of the Board of Directors will make the certificate binding upon the Board, it was added.

The value of these certificates will be computed by the Board upon the basis of a report to be submitted by a certified accountant about the 10th of the month on the amount of accumulated profit

of the community enterprises.

Speaking before the representatives of all the wards, Parker Abbot, manager of the Associated Co-op of Northern Calif., pointed out the workings of his Co-op in a Sunday meeting.

APPROVED

During Thursday's general meeting, the assembly approved the appointments of the following:

Pres.	S. Kuramoto
V. Pres.	S. Kubo
Executive Sec.	K. Takemoto
Bus. Mgr.	S. Miyamoto
Ass't Mgr.	Y. Shibata
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前田ハリ君

新参事会を長として當選せる前田君は加州大学法

学部を経て桑港へスチング

法科大学院に於て法科専攻

の傍、海軍地方の白人法律

事務所調査員として勤務

中であつた人である。最近青

年基督教会幹事、或は少

年團指導者として青少年

訓育に専ら米國少年團より

り最高勲章を授けられた

第一級の指導者。現在前

監督官として出征後公

共活動部監督官として軍

職に在る。前田君は語る

「参事会を長の職に就いて

ある事は予想が過ぎず、不肖

私の如き者が選ばれた事は

誠に遺憾に思ふ以上、四十

の歳には是非皆様の協力を

頼む事は相成ります。又

WR A 基金の活動は、

明瞭で秩序ある社会を建

し度いと思ふを要する。

惠古トマス君

参事会副会長、加州ニ

ヤメル出身、プラサ郡農業組

合支配人、プラサ郡警察署の

一員で同君は機務の権威、

本邦制約起草委員、長

として盡した人。

柴田芳美君

加州出身、治警有数のバ

ン部監督官、所内企

畫部設置案提呈者、同

部の規約を起草した人、全

記録書記として管理充

任、竹本康三君

参事会書記、加州國際公

法、経済学部出身、前加

大東洋、学科講師、廣島

一中出身、共同組合の指

導者として或は所内一般の

通譯官として公に盡して

る人。

トマソンテン 同所に全

て生徒を打つて一丸とした佛教

の結成せられ、去る十月十九

日、全主を挙げた

同所では各区を巡回して活動

本部が、道場を建設、

得られた二ヶ所の建設費を

認ける。同所が、

「トマソン」自治政治確立のため其

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買物はスクリプト

共同組合は其収入を購買高

に按分して拂戻す故に聯邦所得

税を納める必要なし。WR A 本

部法律部の法的解釋である

之は、課税せられざる事に依り、

然し、疑問のあつたのは、組合

譲渡される以前の公営企業とし

て所得税を課せられるか否かと

事である。WR A は、於ては所得税

管理局に依りて決定して決定を

受くる間合せである。若し同

管理局の決定によりて所得税

納入の必要なしと認められれば

組合以前からの収入は聯邦所得

税納入から除外される事に依り

て、第一にスクリプトによつて

購買する事は各個人は分納

所内一般の利益となる事は明

確である。

外部定住援助

収容所内にある日本人の外部

定住促進運動はWR A の根

本方針として其實現に努力

して居る處であるが、先般イ

一世約二子一百名

男女の比率 九對一

平均年齢 五二ダ

二世約六百五十名

男女の比率 七對八

平均年齢 十ダ

三世

米国在住平均期間七七年

結婚可能

A. 四子以上の約半分は獨身、

女子は大部分結婚、

B. 結婚男子の約半数は國

際結婚

女子は九割以上日本人に

結婚

現在、財政的に困窮する人々

約一割五分

二世

人約半分は經濟生活に他は

部及生活方面より地位

二十以上の二世は結婚して

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